

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification of the above-identified application as follows.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 3 as follows.

--This application is related to co-pending applications United States Serial Number 10/664,460 entitled SLURRY FEED APPARATUS FOR STRUCTURAL CEMENT PANEL PRODUCTION (~~2033.66885~~) and United States Serial Number 10/666,294 entitled MULTI-LAYER PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR OBTAINING INCREASED STRENGTH CEMENT PANELS (~~Attorney Docket No. 2033.66886~~), filed concurrently herewith and herein incorporated by reference.--

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 3, line ¹⁴~~5~~ as follows. *dy 12/14/06*

--In instances, such as disclosed in commonly-assigned Serial No. 10/666,294, entitled MULTI-LAYER PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR OBTAINING INCREASED STRENGTH CEMENT PANELS (~~Attorney Docket No. 2033.66886~~), where loose chopped fiberglass fibers are mixed with slurry to provide a cementitious structural panel having structural reinforcement, the need arises for a way to thoroughly mix the fibers with the slurry. Such uniform mixing is important for achieving the desired structural strength of the resulting panel or board.--

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page ⁷~~6~~, line ¹~~20~~ as follows. *dy 12/14/06*

--The present embedment device, generally designated 20, is disposed on the support frame 12 to be just "downstream" or after the point at which the fibers 18 are deposited upon the slurry web 16. Included in the device 20 are at least two elongate shafts 22, 24 each having ends 26 engaged in a bracket 28 located on each side of the support frame 12. Although two shafts 22, 24 are depicted, additional shafts may be provided if desired. One set of shaft ends 26 is preferably provided with toothed sprockets or pulleys 30 (best seen in FIG. 2) or other driving mechanism to enable the shafts 22, 24 to be axially rotated in the brackets 28. ~~It is preferred that the shafts 22, 24, and the associated disks 32, 34, are rotated in the same direction.--~~